

DEPARTMENT OF THE ARMY 342nd MILITARY POLICE BATTALION 261 EAST 19TH STREET, BLDG. 1000 FORT LEONARD WOOD, MISSOURI 65473-5600

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MEMORANDUM FOR The 342nd Military Police Battalion

SUBJECT: 342nd Military Police Battalion Command Policy #6 (Military Police Misconduct)

- 1. I am extremely proud of the professionalism our 342nd Military Police Battalion Soldiers consistently display while conducting Military Police Law Enforcement and Access Control operations on Fort Leonard Wood.
- 2. Commanders will promptly report all allegations of military police misconduct to me directly, or through the Battalion Executive Officer or Command Sergeant Major. After investigation into the allegation is complete, commanders will also advise me on their recommended course of action for dealing with the incident. I reserve the right to withhold from subordinate commanders the authority to take disciplinary action in any particular case. This reservation of authority includes courts-martial, nonjudicial punishment under Article 15 of the Uniform Code of Military Justice, reprimands, adverse counseling, and other adverse administrative actions. It also includes the decision to take no disciplinary action at all.
- 3. Army values are our guide. The nation has presented us with a special trust and confidence to carry out our military police duties and ensure the safety of personnel on this installation. Our bottom-line mission is: We are a values-based customer service organization that provides exceptional Assistance, protection and defense to the Ft. Leonard Wood community!
- 4. I expect each of us to perform to the highest standard in keeping with the ideals of duty, honor, and country as we assist, protect and defend our community. What have you done, today, to make Fort Leonard Wood a better place to live?
- 5. This reporting requirement does not apply to minor transgressions for which developmental counseling is appropriate.

MICHAEL D. BLACKWELL

LTC, MP

Commanding